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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JAMES FOX, Individually and on  
Behalf of the Class,

Plaintiff,

v.

GENWORTH LIFE AND ANNUITY  
INSURANCE COMPANY, a Virginia  
corporation; and DOES 1-10,  
inclusive,

Defendant.

Case No. 2:24-cv-01001-WBS-CKD

**ORDER GRANTING JOINT  
STIPULATION TO MODIFY  
THE BRIEFING SCHEDULES ON  
DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO STRIKE  
AND PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO  
REMAND**

Judge: Hon. William B. Shubb

Motions Date: 8/18/2025  
Motions Time: 1:30 p.m.  
Motions Courtroom: 5


Date Action Filed: 2/28/2024

1 On consideration of the parties' Joint Stipulation to  
2 Modify the Briefing Schedules on Defendant's Motion to Strike  
3 [ECF No. 39] and on Plaintiff's Motion to Remand [ECF No. 44],  
4 and GOOD CAUSE having been shown, the Court ORDERS as follows:

- 5 • Defendant's deadline to file a Reply, if any, for the  
6 Motion to Strike is hereby extended to August 11, 2025;
- 7 • The hearing on the Motion to Strike remains on the date  
8 noticed, August 18, 2025.
- 9 • Defendant's deadline to file a Response to the Motion  
10 to Remand is hereby extended to July 22, 2025;
- 11 • Plaintiff's deadline to file a Reply, if any, for the  
12 Motion to Remand is hereby extended to August 11, 2025;
- 13 • The hearing on the Motion to Remand remains on the date  
14 noticed, August 18, 2025.

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16 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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18 Dated: July 16, 2025

  
19 WILLIAM B. SHUBB  
20 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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2 AGREED AS TO FORM:

3 Dated: July 16, 2025

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